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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA for the use of
NORTH STAR TERMINAL & STEVEDORE
COMPANY, d/b/a Northern Stevedoring &
Handling, and NORTH STAR TERMINAL &
STEVEDORE COMPANY, d/b/a Northern
Stevedoring & Handling, on its own behalf,

Plaintiffs,

and

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA for the use of
SHORESIDE PETROLEUM, INC., d/b/a Marathon
Fuel Services, and SHORESIDE PETROLEUM,
INC., d/b/a Marathon Fuel Services, on its own
behalf,

Intervening Plaintiffs,

and

METCO, INC.,

Intervening Plaintiff,

vs.

NUGGET CONSTRUCTION, INC.; SPENCER
ROCK PRODUCTS, INC.; UNITED STATES
FIDELITY AND GUARANTY COMPANY; and
ROBERT A. LAPORE,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:98-cv-009-TMB

**NOTICE OF NORTH STAR
COUNSEL'S AVAILABILITY IN
ACCORDANCE WITH THE
COURT'S JUNE 16, 2006
MINUTE ORDER**

In accordance with the Court's June 16, 2006 Minute Order (Clerk's Docket No. 616), Plaintiff and Use Plaintiff North Star Terminal & Stevedore Company ("North Star") provides the following information.

1. North Star's counsel is presently available for trial during the requested timeframe of November through January except for November 1-3 (due to a trial commencing the previous week, which may also spill over into the week of November 6), November 20-24, and December 26-January 3.

2. Either undersigned counsel or attorney David W. Pease should be generally available regarding this matter now through the end of October 2006, except for September 11-22.

3. Undersigned counsel expects to be away and unavailable after this week through July 14, 2006, then again the first half of August but returning in time for the August 17 status conference, and unavailable again September 1-5 and 11-22, and part of the middle of October. If the Court does decide to set oral argument upon any of the pending motions, North Star respectfully requests that it be scheduled during one of those periods July through September that undersigned counsel expects to be available.

Respectfully submitted at Anchorage, Alaska, on June 21, 2006.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the 21st day of June, 2006,
a copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF NORTH
STAR COUNSEL'S AVAILABILITY IN
ACCORDANCE WITH THE COURT'S
JUNE 16, 2006 MINUTE ORDER was served
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